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Sir:

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Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (40 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (8 sheets, Figures 1-12)
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 pages)
- [X] Associate Power of Attorney
- [X] Assignment to TOSHIBA TEC KABUSHIKI KAISHA
- [X] Assignment Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement
- [X] Form PTO-1449 and 1 reference(s)

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